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January 28, 2020

VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

The Honorable Jocelyn Boyd Chief Clerk / Executive Director Public Service Commission of South Carolina 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100 Columbia, SC 29210

Re: Program Modifications to Duke Energy Progress, LLC's Demand Response Automation Rider & Neighborhood Energy Saver Tariff Docket No. 2015-163-E

Dear Ms. Boyd:

On January 14, 2020, Duke Energy Progress, LLC ("DEP" or the "Company") filed a request for approval from the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the "Commission") of proposed modifications to the Demand Response Automation ("DRA") Rider and Neighborhood Energy Saver ("NES") Tariff. That letter was accompanied by redlined and clean versions of the associated tariffs. While the redlined tariff changes were appropriately reflective of the changes the Company seeks, the filing letter inadvertently referenced a change from "compact fluorescent bulbs" to "energy efficient lighting." That change is already reflected in the currently effective tariff on file for DEP. The letter should have instead referenced changes from "Low-Flow Faucet Aerators" to "Water-Saving Faucet Aerators," "Low-Flow Showerheads" to "Water-Saving Showerheads," and "HVAC Winterization Kits" to "Window AC Winterization Kits." The attachments included with the January 14, 2020 filing are included herewith for ease of reference.

Kind regards,

Sam Wellborn

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Enclosures

c w/enc: Parties of Record (via email)

Heather Shirley Smith, Deputy General Counsel (via email) Rebecca J. Dulin, Associate General Counsel (via email) Duke Energy Progress, LLC RS-NES-6 (South Carolina Only) Supersedes Schedule RS-NES 4

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RESIDENTIAL SERVICE NEIGHBORHOOD ENERGY SAVER PROGRAM RS-NES-64

PURPOSE

The purpose of this program is to assist low-income customers in reducing energy costs through energy education and by installing or providing energy efficiency measures for the customer's residence.

AVAILABILITY

This program is available only to individually-metered residential customers in neighborhoods selected by Company, at its sole discretion, which are considered low-income based on third party and census data which includes income level and household size. Areas targeted for participation in this program will typically have 50% or more of the households with income equal to or less than 200% of the poverty level established by the U. S. Government. Households with higher consumption will be offered additional measures to address high energy use.

PROGRAM

Under this program, participating customers will receive the following:

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 include but are not limited to the following:
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 - Low-Flow Faucet Aerators
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 - o Switch Plate Thermometer
 - o Refrigerator Thermometers
 - o Window HVAC Winterization Kits
 - o HVAC Filters
 - o Energy Savings Tips Refrigerator Magnet
 - Air Infiltration Reduction Measures

<u>In addition to the measures above, measures offered to high consumption households may include, but are not limited to, the following:</u>

- Insulation
- Air Sealing

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- Duct Sealing
- O Smart Thermostat

COMPANY RETENTION OF PROGRAM BENEFITS

Incentives and other considerations offered under the terms of this Program are understood to be an essential element in the recipient's decision to participate in the Program. Upon payment of these considerations, Company will be entitled to any and all environmental, energy efficiency, and demand reduction benefits and attributes, including all reporting and compliance rights, associated with participation in the Program.

GENERAL

Service rendered under this Program is subject to the provisions of the Service Regulations of the Company and Demand Side Management and Energy Efficiency Rider DSM/EE on file with the state regulatory commission.

Supersedes Program RS NES 2B
Effective for service rendered on and after December 14, 2016
SCPSC Docket No. 2015-163 E. Order No. 2016-868

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